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DELEGATIONS WITH WHOM WE'V E TALKED THUS FAR (CANADA, AUSTRALIA, NZ, YUGO, BRAZIL, MALAYSIA) HAVE BEEN UNIFORMLY UNIMPRESSED WITH CONTENT OF EC'S IMPROVED OFFER. WHILE NONE OF THESE DELEGATIONS HAD VERY HIGH HOPES FOR SIGNIFICANT NEW CONCESSIONS, THEY ALL COMMENTED DISDAINFULLY ABOUT LIMITED SCOPE AND DEPTH OF CUTS OFFERED. NONE OF THESE DELEGATIONS HAVE YET BEEN INSTRUCTED TO MAKE FORMAL RESPONSE AND THEY DOUBTED THEIR GOVTS WOULD DO SO UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS-NEW YEAR HOLIDAY PERIOD. SEVERAL OF THEM (AUSTRIA, NZ, YUGO) THOUGHT THEIR CAPITALS WOULD WAIT TO SEE HOW US REACTS. WE TOLD THEM SUBSTANCE OF US AIDE MEMOIRE. CANADIANS ALREADY KNEW THIS AND ASSUMED GRAY/CLARK VISIT TO WASH JAN 3-4 WOULD INVOLVE CONSULTATION WITH US ON 24:6. BASSIN

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